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## B. B. TOURNAMENT STARTS TODAY

11 TEAMS ENTER CONTEST IN CLASS C

The annual district basketball tournament opens at the school gymnasium here this afternoon (Thursday) at 8:00 o'clock, when Wolverine takes the floor against Houghton Lake.

Coches from the following schools were here Saturday afternoon and assisted in the drawings with the following result:

Thursday, March 1, 3 p. m.—Wolverine vs. Houghton Lake. 4 p. m.—Marion vs. West Branch St. Joe. 7 p. m.—West Branch High vs. Vanderbilt. 8 p. m.—Roscommon vs. Me. Bain. 9 p. m.—Grayling vs. Lake City. The two latter teams are in class C while the others mentioned are in class D. One other team, Gaylord, is lined up in class C, and will have to meet the winners of the Grayling-Lake City game. This is scheduled for Friday evening at 9.

The winners of the first afternoon games will compete in games scheduled for Friday evening. Consolation games will be played Friday and Saturday afternoons. On Saturday evening at 8:00 o'clock the final consolation game will be played and at 9:00 o'clock the final championship game will be decided.

The big event will occupy the front stage here the last three days of this week and, if the weather is favorable, there should be record breaking attendance. The big gymnasium is ideal for such an event and accommodations very comfortably the patrons and the players alike. The tournament will again be under the management of Supt. B. E. Smith of Grayling school who has met with signal success in both former annual events. The arbiting will again be in the hands of H. J. Huebner of Saginaw and Roy O. Milnes of Grayling, each of whom gave excellent and quite universal satisfaction in our former tournaments.

Season tickets, good for 16 games are on sale for \$1.25 each for adults; school children 75 cents. Single admission tickets for the afternoon are 25c each and evening 50c each.

"Edison hunting for rubber in woods."—Literary Digest. So he, too, has taken up golf.—Virginia Pilot.

## School Notes

Editors—Ishbrand Harder, Ellen Speck, Corinne Sheldon.

Clara Bugby was not able to go to Boyne City with the team Friday on account of illness.

Don't forget the Basket Ball Tournament, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

The members of the Bookkeeping class were surprised not to see any of their names on the failing list this week.

Dorothy May visited in Saginaw over the week end.

Ethel Taylor was a substitute teacher last week for Miss Lundvall. Pauline Lietz has been teaching the fifth grade this last week in Miss Sheldon's place.

Jan Thorne in English class—Teacher do you say, it is I or it is me?

Miss Lee—Always remember this thing: "It is I, said the spider to the fly."

Jean—Yes, but couldn't you say, "It is me, said the spider to the fly?"

Sophie—"Some burglars got in the house last night and bound and gagged me and tied me to a chair."

Frankie—"What did you do?"

Sophie—"Why, I sat around all night and chewed the rag."

College is quite like a washing machine. You get out of it just what you put in it—but you'd never recognize it.

Karl—You seem to have nothing but money on your mind.

Ted—That's the trouble, it's all on my mind.

Ellen S.—"Why is a baldheaded man like heaven?"

Grace P.—"Why?"

Ellen—"Because there will be no parting or dy(e)ing there."

Miss Adams in Gen. Science class: Glen, what causes shooting stars?

Glen—Ab, I suppose they get jealous of one another.

Truman L.—"What is man made of?"

Stanley M.—"Dust."

Truman—"You must have been made on a rainy day."

Pauline S.—The secret of good health is onion eating.

Ruth—But how can onion eating be kept a secret?

Miss Durfee—"Henry, how may a lesson in bookkeeping be taught in three words?"

Henry—"Never lend them."

The Snake in Arcadia

This is the classroom primeval. The whispering students and co-eds discussing in low pleasing voices details of some late campus scandal. The scraping of chalk on the blackboard.

Disturbs not the snore of the sleeper. Prevents not the yawn of the drowsy. The hum of the sweet conversation. Apen comes the harsh barking quaver.

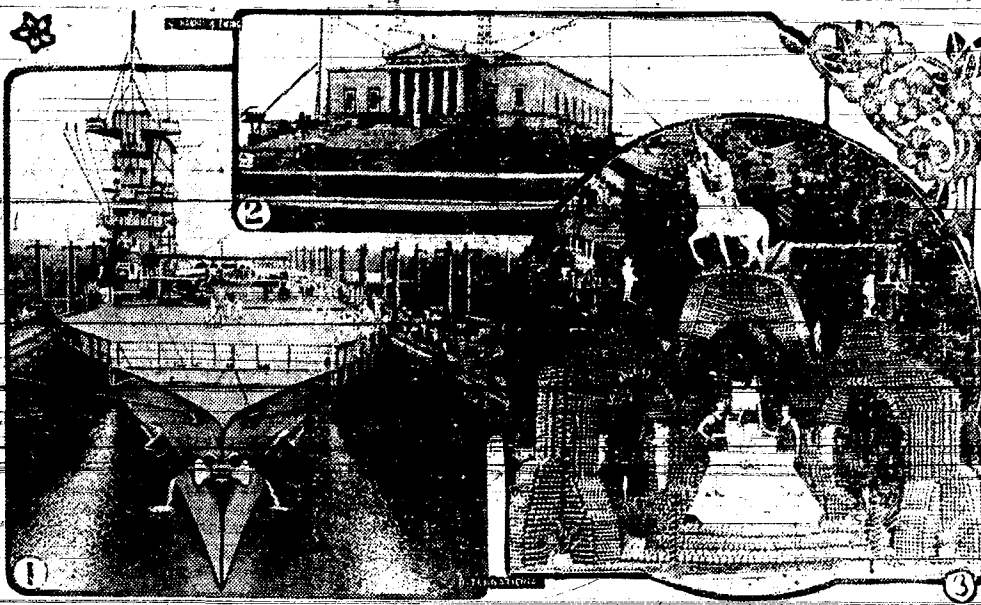
The voice of the gray old professor. The pot-bellied, wall-eyed professor. De-treating all peace and all slumber.

The whisper, the snore and the yawning.

Aroused from their morning siesta, With looks of reproach they regard him;

With mute, silent lips they reproach him,

As gravely he takes up the lecture, The wearisome, moss-covered lec-



1—United States airplane carrier Suroaga just scraping its way through the Gatun locks of the Panama canal. 2—booth at national orange show in San Bernardino, Calif., Va., nearing completion. 3—Los Angeles county's beautiful Masonic memorial to George Washington near Alexandria.

## FORGET IT!

"If you see a tall fellow ahead of the crowd,  
A leader of music, marching fearless and proud,  
And you know of a tale whose mere telling aloud  
Would cause his proud head to in anguish be bowed,  
It's a pretty good plan to forget it."

"If you know of a thing that will darken the joy  
Of a man or a woman, a girl or a boy,  
That will wipe out a smile or the least way annoy  
A fellow, or cause any gladness to cloy,  
It's a pretty good plan to forget it."

## GREENHOUSES DOING NICE BUSINESS

Grayling Greenhouses are busy these days as a result of their labors of the past several months. Every one in the plant is filled to capacity with flowering and growing plants. One large bed of carnations perfumes the entire premises, while thousands of sweet peas add to the fragrance and to the beauty of the scene. And everywhere there are blossoming and budding plants ready for sale. The place is a bower of beauty and attractiveness.

And the plants all look healthy and strong and appear to be equal to any night, (Feb. 22) when the local team went to Grayling, and in a game with greenhouse. Ernest Borchers who the Independents of that town came has the management of the place is home sadder but wiser, having gone to be congratulated upon the success down to defeat by a 26 to 57 score.

Ful manner in which he has handled Grayling has boasted of having one of the best independent teams in being assisted in the work by Fred northern Michigan, and their victor, Niederer. The boys are making aies had gone a long way to prove wonderful success of floriculture.

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It will be worth anyone's time, to make a trip to the Greenhouses just clean, but that Grayling was too fast, to see the flowers, and to enjoy the Forewarned is forearmed though, spring-like atmosphere. Visitors, and Grayling is to play a return they may are always welcome. Thou game here and in the meantime, sands of smart perennium plants with Conch Burkett is going to give the be ready for yard and porch box team some of the most intensive planting in the spring. Also scores training they have received this year, of other varieties of plants for the and we hope to make Grayling sit up, same purpose will be ready at the and take notice—Grayling Herald—proper time.

## INDEPENDENTS LOSE AT GRAYLING TUES. BY 26 TO 57 SCORE

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There is the kind of man who thinks it is a typographical error if the dictionary doesn't spell the word his way.—Toledo Blade.

If his automobile war keeps up they will be giving us cars so they can sell the parts.—Atlanta Constitution.

## We All Get Such Ideas



## New Head of N. E. A.



Cornelia Stivers Adair is the new president of the National Education Association. Miss Adair, who is a native of West Virginia is the first classroom teacher to become president of the association since it was organized in 1857. She was formerly teacher of English at Balnbridge Junior high school at Richmond, Va.

## GLAD NEWS FOR THE TAXPAYERS

FOREST LANDS BRING \$7,040 TO CRAWFORD COUNTY

The property owners of the several townships of Crawford county will have occasion to rejoice upon receiving from County Treasurer William Ferguson the tax money from the State levied upon the Forest reserve and swamp lands of the county. \$7,040.32 has been received from the State and this amount has been ap-

portioned as follows, in accordance with the provisions of the statutes: County—Gen. Fund \$1,135.43 South Branch 372.47 Beaver Creek 2,033.85 Lovell 491.32 Grayling 1,764.32 Maple Forest 67.10 Total \$7,040.32

The money is derived from the State upon such lands and, as may be seen, amounts to a nice sum. It is a big help to the poorer counties of the State in many of which have vast regions of forest reserve and swamp lands that are owned by the State.

Mr. Ferguson has been busy this week getting the percentages figured and on Wednesday mailed the money to the respective townships. Beaver Creek received the largest amount and the Lovell dropped into a GREAT BIG hole and will be associated. While the other townships may not fare quite so well, still the amounts received will be welcome.

Houston will present his favorite son at the Democratic National Convention in June.—Atlanta Constitution.

## Michigan Memorial Church

John Wilfred Greenwood, Minister

Sunday, March 4th.

At 10:30 a. m. the pastor will take for his theme, "The Eloquence of Silence." This will be a service spiritually helpful, and appropriate music will make the morning hour of worship doubly attractive.

At 7:30 p. m. an address on the popular theme "Shouts from the Grandstand." The beautiful illustrated hymn "At Even Ere the Sun was Set" will form part of this program.

Probably the author of the following lines may have read the foregoing scriptural sentences, or it may have been that he was provoked by much low talk and vulgar expressions which he heard from the mouths of men. At least the magazine of the Norfolk, Va., Police Division thought enough of the poem to print it. It is called "The Vigilant."

It grieves my soul to hear God's holy name, In common conversation, used in vain. 'Twas graven on stone by His own holy hand, That such before Him guiltless should not stand. Watch then your words, vulgarity despise. To swear is neither brave, polite nor wise. You would not swear upon a bed of death. Pshaw! Your Maker NOW could stop your breath.

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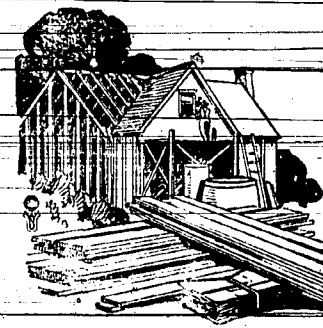
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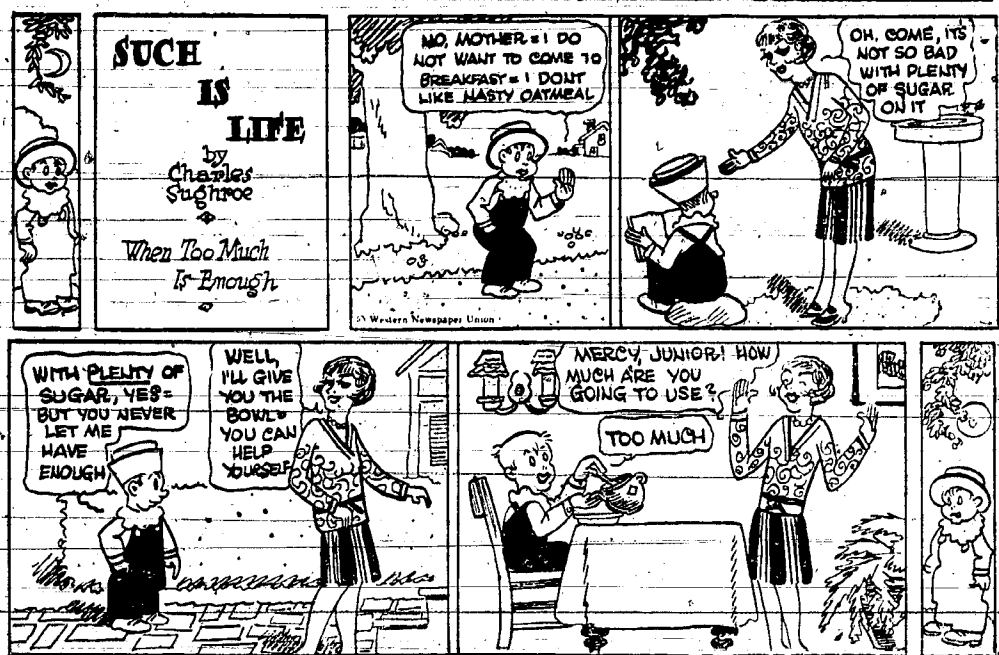
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"It's all in the day's work," they say. The wages of cabaret waiters in the "bright lights" section of Broadway and its environs are very meagre—about \$8 weekly—with no certainty of their jobs from day to day. This doubtless, explains their contemptuous attitude toward the small tip. Some of the waiters, however, have done pretty well financially. Many are running speakeasies and have derived considerable fortunes therefrom.

#### Jefferson Found His Letter Writing a Burden

Thomas Jefferson liked to write letters and to receive them, but the burden became almost unendurable. He wrote John Adams in 1817 that from duty to duty he was "drudging at the writing table."

"All this," he continued, "to answer letters into which neither interest nor inclination on my part enters; and often from persons whose names I have never before heard. Yet, writing civilly, it is hard to refuse them civil answers. This is the burden of my life, a very grievous one indeed, and one which I must get rid of."

He consented to write a few lines of introduction to one of Delaplaine's books that he might make there a public appeal for relief from this burden, but it does not appear to have been successful, for he wrote Adams in 1822 that he had received 1,267 letters the previous year and had answered all, though many of them had required long replies and some extensive investigation.

"Is this life?" he asked. "At best it is but the life of a mill horse that sees no end to his circle but in death. To such a life that of a cabbage is paradise." Since he had earlier described the life of a cabbage as "surely not worth a wish," he had evidently come close to the irreducible minimum in enjoyment of existence. At the time of his death he had 26,000 letters filed and had copies of 16,000.

Jefferson died in 1826, and his remains were buried in the Monticello vault. In the Century Magazine.

#### Even Finest Violins Must Have Exercise

A violin, like a growing boy, according to the experts, is much better when kept busy. And dance tunes are just as good for "exercising" even a priceless Stradivarius, as are the highest class concert numbers. A violin, bearing the date 1713 and believed to be a genuine "Strad," has been in the possession of the family of William McDonald of Rice Lake, Wis., says the Milwaukee Journal, for 175 years. Mr. McDonald, who played the instrument for 20 years, has used it in all his father's contests throughout this part of the state.

Inside the violin is this inscription: "Antonius Stradivarius Cremonensis, Fecit Anno 1713" (cremona of Antonio Stradivarius, made in the year 1713). The famous Cremona carver was at the height of his career as a violin maker in 1713, and all the evidence he bequeathed in the family recollections leads the McDonalds to believe the instrument is an original of the noted maker.

#### Daily Loss of Weight

The loss of weight that we undergo every day has been the object of recent research, says Science. In the experiments, conducted by the Carnegie Institution at Washington, two sensitive balances were used. Both were strong enough to weigh a man, but delicate enough to register minute changes in weight. One of the balances would indicate a change of one-half of an ounce and a person could sleep all night on its platform. The other was a hundred times as sensitive but could be occupied only for an hour or so at a time. The total moisture losses through the lungs and skin of a woman of average weight averaged around 30 grams, or one ounce per hour, for a man the figure was about one-third higher.

#### Forgetful

The forgetful man got to the railroad station a few minutes before train time, but he felt he had forgotten something. He looked over his baggage. It was all there. He felt in his pocket. His wallet was bulging pleasantly. Absently he reached in another pocket and pulled out two tickets to Niagara Falls and a marriage license. So that was it. He groaned and rushed for a telephone booth.

But it was no use. He had forgotten the name and telephone number of the girl with whom he had intended to elope.—American Legion Monthly.

#### Streams That "Meander"

"Crooked as the River Jordan," is an old expression, but there are streams that make Jordan look straight. In the old days when packet steamers were popular as transportation up and down the Mississippi, passengers used to get out at many of the sharp bends and walk across a narrow neck of land to rest from the tedious trip. The steamer arriving sometimes an hour later. The White river in Arkansas is another erratic stream. It travels 1,000 miles in traversing a distance of 30 miles.

#### Preferences in Love

When we are told that we are loved for our body, but not for our mind, we are not only easily comforted but frequently quite delighted. We feel that we are loved "as ourselves."

On the contrary, when we are told that we are loved for our mind only, we are generally insulted and hurt. We understand that we are loved for something that is really extensible and, in the final count, of slight merit.—Plain Talk Magazine.

#### Loveless Millionaires

In our secret hearts we don't tremendously admire the captains of industry and their kind, though we may envy them their power and wealth.—American Magazine.

#### Mania for Gambling Decreasing in China

Gambling is the dominating national passion of China, and every Chinese indulges in it, whatever his age, social position, or fortune. He bets on everything—the number of seeds in an orange, the number of persons who will pass by a given point in a given time.

In five minutes the coolie will lose all the money he has saved in a month. The petty employee will do the same with his salary, and the banker with his fortune. The Chinese gambles at all times and places—during his meals, at the theater, between the acts, in trains, and in offices.

Under the empire the favorite form of gambling took a singular shape. It was as if everyone in France bet on the most successful candidates entering our big schools of learning. All China would participate in these enormous wagers. In all prefectures and subprefectures the names of the competing candidates were announced, and as soon as the results were known extra rapid couriers carried the names of the winners to all parts of the empire.

Nowadays the people limit themselves to betting on who will be chosen ministerial functionaries, and the same does not enjoy the vogue it once did.—George B. Mayhew in "La Nouvelle Revue," Paris (Living Age).

#### Ambergris in Demand for Use in Perfumes

When you tramp the margin of the sea, along the line where the waves leave seaweeds, bottle corks, and the unconsidered flotsam and jetsam which none sees fit to take away, make sure that the piece of stuff you look to be mottled soap is not a lump of ambergris.

This precious substance, of which whalemens dream in their ambitious wanderings about the seven seas, comes from the alimentary tract of the sperm whale or cachalot.

A few years ago Norwegian fishing in Australian waters found a whole ambergris weighing upwards of 900 pounds. It was worth \$185,000. By contrast, the whole production of the United States in 1922 only amounted to 44 pounds, worth about \$11,000. And not so long ago a piece of goal luck befell a Spanish ship, the crew of which found 248 pounds in an Atlantic whale.

In centuries forgotten, when sperm whales were more abundant, ambergris did service in sacramental rites. The Chinese administer it medicinally. But most that is found today finds its way to perfumers, who use it as a fixative for delicate scents.

#### Old Water Power Site

The first water power on this continent, it is said, was built on the Piscataqua river at South Berwick, Maine, on the site of the present Fort Leach blanket mills. It was in 1620 that Ferdinando Gorges obtained a grant from the English crown giving him the right to settle and develop the territory from sea to sea lying between the fortieth and forty-eighth parallels north latitude.

The grant, however, required him to develop water power, and accordingly he constructed a log dam, erected a grist mill and sent the meal to England as proof that the terms of the contract were being respected. The water power site has been in continuous use ever since and has lately come into public notice when the property changed hands.

#### Industrial By-Products

A list of the principal by-products of the packing industry includes all kinds of leathers; artificial teeth, beef extract, buttons, canoes, canned milk, products formerly wasted, combs, crochets, needles, dice, drum snares, fertilizer, grease, glycerine, hair for brushes, handles for knives, handles for razors, hair for upholstery, hiphins, imitation stag horn, inedible grease, laundry soap, animal strings, napkin rings, neatfoot oil, nursing rings, oleomargarine, pancake, pepsin, perfume, phosphorus, pemmet, stock feeds, suprarenal, worth more than \$4,000 a pound; teeth, strings, thyroid tablets, toilet soaps, umbrella handles, wool.

#### Didn't Work Right

Two of my young friends, newly-arrived from the city, moved on a farm to begin their married life. They decided to raise chickens. Ten hens were set carefully on fifteen eggs placed in boxes side by side and successfully hatched.

At the end of three weeks the young birds eagerly undid the first hen, fully expecting to see a nest of fluffy chicks. To her horror the hen was dead and not an egg hatched. Unbelieving, each hen was looked at, but not one met the same fate. It was not but wiser couple when the next hens were set.—Cannon's Weekly.

#### Just Vanity

There are some who are sure at the idea that we belong to the same family as the flea and the mouse; while others are insulted when a kinship with the gods and the angels is claimed. In both cases it is a matter of vanity.—Plain Talk Magazine.

#### Why Opera Is Popular

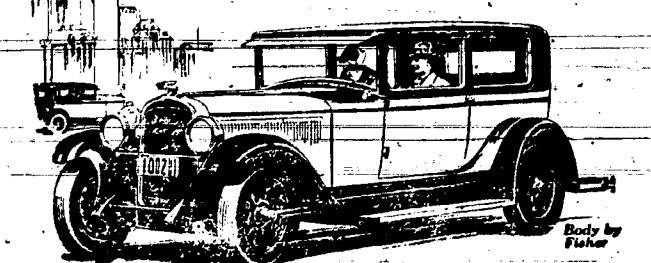
What motivates many an opera subscriber is the same childish delight in watching wheels go round that keeps him rooted before a subway excavation or a lunchroom griddle-enke virtuoso.—Deems Taylor in Vanity Fair Magazine.

The other day another one of those items about a woman routing bandits appeared in the day's news. To get right down to brass tacks, it is believed almost any woman could rout a whole battalion of infantry if she made up her mind to it.—Atchison Globe.

Our immigration laws will come in handy if Trotsky heads for the United States.—Toledo Blade.

The hairpin is no longer than the buttonhook.—Boston Herald.

## Making a Name for Itself Here In Town



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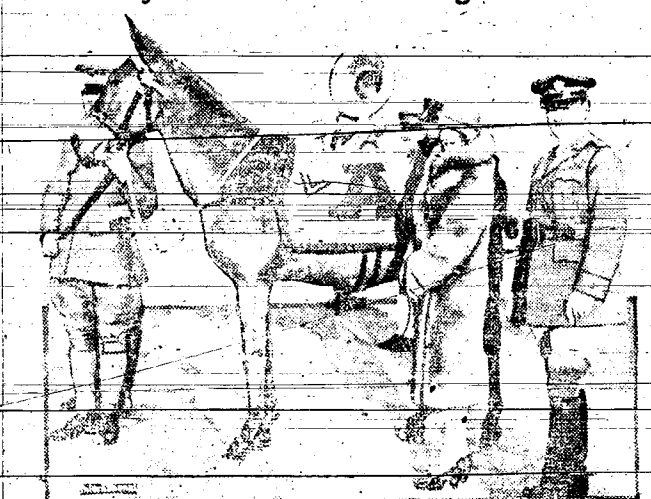
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Born Tuesday, February 28, to Mr. and Mrs. John Edwards, a son.

F. O. Peck has shaken off the grippe after a fortnight's sickness and resumed his work on the track.

John Nolan was laid up with the grippe for a couple of weeks, but is now back at the meat block doing business.

John Meko of Maple Forest was a visitor at our sanetum the last of the week. As usual he is making the snow fly this winter with his lumbering operations.

J. V. Miller of Judges was in town Monday. He reports plenty of snow, plenty of work and plenty to eat and plenty so he has no kick coming.

Lee Trumley was up from Bay City a few days last week, taking the place of Fred Harrington in the railroad yards inspecting cars. Fred was knocked out with a severe cold.

Thomas Woodfield of Jackson, one of our pioneers, dropped in last Saturday. He was on one of his lumber business trips, but always gets time when in this vicinity to stop and see his brother and old neighbors. He is always welcome.

Mrs. George Langevin is home from the sanitarium, and believed to be permanently cured. Her friends are happy over the result of her treatment.

Dr. and Mrs. Niles have been on the sick list for nearly a month past, he with a grand accession to his regular supply of rheumatism, and Mrs. Niles with grippe, accompanied with a sharp attack of pleurisy. Both are improving.

Walmer Jorgenson's convalescing has so far advanced that he gets down to the store for a little while every day. He is picking up rapidly and his many friends are all glad to welcome him and hope he will soon be on his feet and ready for business.

William Eyre has discontinued his restaurant business in John Kasmusson's building and Miss Horton has taken possession with her hotel fixtures from the Crawford house, which will be continued in the new location, which is certainly better for the transient trade, and as it is larger will care for more regular boarders.

The base ball boys are awake and getting in shape for a vigorous campaign the coming season. It's too early yet, but the boys are to give a ball next Friday evening, March 3, at the opera house, and the invitations are out. Clark's full orchestra will do the music, and the price of the tickets is only 50 cents each. All lovers of the game should take an interest in seeing that the boys have no trouble in disposing of the tickets.

Died—At his home in this village, Thursday, February 23, Charles Clark, aged 75 years.

Last week was observed at the home of W. Havens as hospital week.

Their daughter, Mrs. Sleight of Johannesburg, was sick at her home, and the mother went up to look after her and brought her here to rest and regain her strength, which was not completed when Mrs. Havens and Daisy were both attacked with the grippe, so for a week Wright was on his good behavior, doing housework and caring for them, as Mrs. Sleight was just nicely able to boss a job without doing the work.

Died—At the residence of his mother, in this village, Monday, February 27, 1905, Peter H. Larson, aged 34 years. He leaves his mother, Mrs. Mary Larson, two sisters, Mrs. J. A. Anderson of Galesburg, Ill., and Mrs. E. Sparks, with two brothers, Joseph and John Larson, of this village, to mourn his loss. The funeral Tuesday afternoon was conducted by Rev. A. P. W. Becker, and largely attended.

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**GREATNESS AND SLANDER**

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK  
Dean of Men, University of Illinois.

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ONE of the most interesting things in biographical literature within recent years is the tendency of the biographer to month incidents of a disreputable character about the men whose greatness in history he tries here to glorify. In recent years we have had the beginning in England first as a recall, but soon spread to our American heroes.

Washington, who since we first heard of him has been held up to every school boy as a model of propriety and veracity, has been shown by his recent biographer to have had all sorts of vices and dissipation. Franklin and Lincoln and Webster and a host of others less noted, perhaps, have been featured as "the perfect men that we were wont in our childhood to think of. We measure buildings by the shadows they cast and great and by the standard things said about them, an Asiatic proverb tells us. If you want to find out whether or not you amount to anything, run for a political office or try out for the presidency of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Even good men who are great as well as not exempt from the attacks of those who would like to blacken their character and ruin their reputation. I am old enough to remember distinctly the great scandal which surrounded Lincoln, a half century or more ago with Henry Ward Beecher, one of the greatest preachers which this country has ever had. Even in those days when yellow journalism was not so widespread and murder and immorality were not broadcast under such heavy headlines, the newspapers were full of the vulgar details of the stories which in the end only went to show what a great man Lincoln was. If he had been otherwise less successful he would have been made over his lack of discretion if it really was as much as that.

Jordan decided last spring that he would come out as a candidate for one of the understate offices. This did not signify greatness on his part, but simply a desire to become great. He had been rather insignificant before, quiet, modest, unobtrusive—a boy about whom no one had much of anything to say.

But the situation changed when he put himself forward for recognition and dared to aspire to a position of prominence. They began to say things about him, to dig up his past and to feature his mistakes and his irregularities. Until, if one believed him, he heard Jordan was one of the most disreputable members of our community. He came to be almost in tears.

"What would you advise me to do?" he asked. "Should I withdraw?" "By no means," I said. "The more evil they say about you, the more they fear your power. Just so it isn't true, you are all right."

I was right. Jordan was elected. Whoever is not talked about is likely to be commonplace; it is inevitable that envy or fear should cause the great to be maligned.

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## Farm Bureau Notes

R. D. Bailey, Co. Agricultural Agent



"Better living is the end in view in farming and better business," Professor Henry C. Taylor, Northwestern University.

**Prosperity Follows the Dairy Cow**  
Yes, Sir! We believe it to be true. Let the farmers of our county drop out their income from dairy sources, and they would "fairly pretty slim." There would not be much else to bring the regular, dependable income every week if cows did not bring it in.

**Dairying may not be very showy, but it is certainly not unappreciated here at its full worth; but, it is the backbone of the income and of the living on practically every farm in a county.**

**Not Satisfied?**  
If there are some who do not find their income large enough, and are not satisfied with the returns of farm life, it is their own fault. They are doing business on too small a scale, do not keep cows enough, or not good enough cows, or do not feed and stable good enough.

**The Remedy**  
The remedy for each dissatisfied farmer is in his own hands. He can correct all the above faults if he really wants to. Some do not want to, very hard.

The herd can be enlarged by carefully raising the best heifer calves. The herd can be improved by steady use of the many better dairy bulls that have been brought into the county within the last few years.

Some may not be aware of it, but the present county agent has helped him, and the county thirty-three registered purebred bulls, and young.

They were so scattered over the county that no farmer need travel far to get the use of one.

Beside, some quite good bulls have been born in the county the last spring of registered purebred sires, and good dams. These have helped.

**Better Feeding**  
The better feeding is more in the hands of the farmer, and under the control of the farmer, than many will admit. Some try to crawl out by saying that they are too poor.

We greatly doubt the real truth of such a statement. A man might as well say that he is too poor to feed the poorest man among us, can do well the team he is using on a lumber job, or on a pulp wood job, and that they would have to do what they can on just hay.

**CUT NO. 2**  
Farmers in this county, quite a lot of them, this winter, are finding it profitable to feed their cows well, to buy bagged feed for them. Doing so there are at least four (4) ways they gain: (1) Increased income from cows, day by day.

(2) Much more milk in spring, far better shape, ready to make best use of the free, abundant pasture, and not take half the summer to recover from winter starvation, as we have so often seen it.

(3) Stronger, larger and better calves are raised, these better fed mothers. You can't get good, grow-thy, strong calves that make good, large heifers, from half-fed cows.

(4) Value of manure is greatly increased by grain feeding. Money spent for linseed meal, cottonseed meal, Cow Chow, Milkmaider middlings, bran, ground oats, clover and alfalfa, is not lost, by any means. With several feeds, half the cost of the feed is returned in the manure.

Henry's "Feed and Feeding" on page 276, states that the manure value of a ton of cottonseed meal is \$23.87; that of a ton of linseed meal

\$17.42; wheat bran, \$12.78. This means that the manure value to these amounts is returned to the soil, by feeding the above, as surely as if commercial fertilizer were bought.

When you feed a ton of ground alfalfa, you return \$6.68 in fertilizer to the land.

When you buy a ton of alfalfa hay, and feed it, you return \$9.29 worth of fertility to the land.

**Let's Feed Up!**  
CUT NO. 3

**Cheap Way to Get Lime and Alfalfa**  
While the actual fertilizing value of the lime from feeding a ton of timothy hay is \$4.44, that from feeding a ton of alfalfa hay is \$9.29, a difference of \$4.85 in favor of alfalfa.

Which is more than enough to pay the lime to make the alfalfa grow, to say nothing of how much better cows do on alfalfa; and, to say nothing of the number of times a field of alfalfa can be cut more than timothy.

These few facts and figures ought forever to silence the objector to alfalfa, and to good feeding.

**And Further**  
The idea of feeding up as limited above, all of us ought to grow more roots, alfalfa, manure and rutabagas; unless it be the man who has a well-shod cow. Even he ought to have carrots for sake of their medicinal effect upon stock, and for the rich yellow color they give to winter cream and winter butter.

A man may be as poor as Job's turkey, yet he can raise some roots for winter feeding.

**Better Stabling**  
Better stabling, too, is in reach of each and every farmer among us. This does not mean that we have to go about good stabling until we can afford to put a great big, nice, red barn, like the picture. We could here tell the name of a farmer in this country who stables his nice cattle well in a log barn. However, that barn has a light roof, is very clean; cattle are neatly bodied; there is plenty of light, it is warm; it has ventilation; control of the farmer, than many will admit. Some try to crawl out by saying that they are too poor.

**Covered the Ground**  
Thus, we believe, we have covered the ground in an attempt to show that as well say that he is too poor to feed the poorest man among us, can do well the team he is using on a lumber job, or on a pulp wood job, and that they would have to do what they can on just hay.

It is to be hoped that the hint about money spent in feeds not all being lost will sink in. The Danish people ship our cottonseed and our linseed meal across the Atlantic, to the old country, turn them into butter, which they ship back here to compete with our butter.

How come? Just think about it a little while!

**Overlooked Opportunity**  
There is another matter that too many of our farmers seem to have overlooked. That is, the fact that we get almost as much for the cream produced on our cheap Northern lands as do the farmers on the high valued land in Tuscola County, in the Thumb, and down in the Detroit region. Vast areas of that land are wasted at several times per acre what our average farmer gets the owners do not get much more for butter fat.

Besides that, look at the freg pasture we have while our stock "runs the roads"; while, down there, all stock must all the time, be kept enclosed.

**Let's Go To It**  
We have among us, farmers, who are paying attention to the bulls they own who are feeding on the best specially more light and cleanliness;

who are buying lots of bagged feed; who are getting started with alfalfa hay, because they see it is far and away the best dairy hay.

All things go to show that it can be done right here; that we grow not too poor; that the biggest thing we lack is purpose and will and ideals.

Let's leave no effort unmade to improve the dairying done on each farm; so that we each, and all, may have more of the good things that life affords and that we and our children may be far more happy and satisfied with Crawford County farm life.

**SHAKY BUSINESS**  
The photograph shows Juan Firpo brother of the one-time, hard hitting Luis Angel Firpo who is now grown so corpulent that he apparently cannot stage a comeback. The "Wild Bull of the Pampas" is grooming his younger brother for his appearance in the United States. Juan is a middle-weight.

**UNTHINKABLE**  
He—My sister is in a very shaky business.  
She—What?  
He—Shimmy dancing.

**FITTED FOR GOLF**  
He—She's so dumb she thinks the queerest things.  
She—I thought she was too dumb to think at all.

**LOOKED IMMENSE**  
She—I should say you are especially fitted for golf.  
He—And why?  
She—You wear so beautifully.

**WOLF WOULD FOLLOW**  
"You say he is trying to drive the wolf from his door."  
"Yes."  
"Well, if he'd drive that expensive car of his from the door, the wolf would follow, I think."

**DOESN'T READ NIGHTLY**  
He—Do you read nightly?  
She—I've never heard that author's name before.

## Another Firpo Coming



The photograph shows Juan Firpo brother of the one-time, hard hitting Luis Angel Firpo who is now grown so corpulent that he apparently cannot stage a comeback. The "Wild Bull of the Pampas" is grooming his younger brother for his appearance in the United States. Juan is a middle-weight.

**Patner Sage Says**  
In the race for wealth too much money seems to be an impossible quantity.

**REGISTRATION NOTICE**  
for Township Election  
Election Monday, April 2, A. D. 1928  
To The Qualified Electors of the Township of South Branch, County of Crawford, State of Michigan.

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with the "Michigan Election Law," I, the undersigned Township Clerk, will, upon any day, except Sunday and a legal holiday, the day of any regular or special election or primary election, receive for registration the name of any legal voter in said township not already registered who may apply to me personally for such registration. Provided, however, that I can receive no names for registration during the time intervening between the second Saturday before any regular, special or official primary election and the day of such election.

The last day for general registration does not apply to persons who vote under the Absent Voters' law. (See Registration by Affidavit.)

March 21, 1928, Last Day for General Registration by personal application for said election.

Notice is further hereby given that I will be at my home on March 10, and March 17, A. D. 1928, from 8 o'clock a. m. until 8 o'clock p. m. on each said day for the purpose of Reviewing the Registration and Registering such of the qualified electors in said township as shall properly apply therefor.

The name of no person but an actual resident of the precinct at the time of registration, and entitled under the constitution, if remaining such resident, to vote at the next election, shall be entered in the registration book.

WM. J. WOODBURN, Township Clerk.

**REGISTRATION NOTICE**  
for Township Election  
Election Monday, April 2, A. D. 1928  
To The Qualified Electors of the Township of Lovell, County of Crawford, State of Michigan.

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with the "Michigan Election Law," I, the undersigned Township Clerk, will, upon any day, except Sunday and a legal holiday, the day of any regular or special election or primary election, receive for registration the name of any legal voter in said township not already registered who may apply to me personally for such registration. Provided, however, that I can receive no names for registration during the time intervening between the second Saturday before any regular, special or official primary election and the day of such election.

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The name of no person but an actual resident of the precinct at the time of registration, and entitled under the constitution, if remaining such resident, to vote at the next election, shall be entered in the registration book.

JOHN F. FLOETER, Township Clerk.

**STATE OF MICHIGAN**  
The Probate Court for the county of Crawford.

In the matter of the estate of Edward S. Houghton late of the Village of Grayling, in said county, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that 4 months from the 16th day of February A. D. 1928, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the Village of Grayling, in said county, on or before the 18th day of June A. D. 1928, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday the 18th day of June A. D. 1928, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated February 26th A. D. 1928.  
GEORGE SORENSON, Judge of Probate.

A true copy.  
George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

**REGISTRATION NOTICE**  
To the qualified electors of the Village of Grayling, State of Michigan.

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with Act 126, Public Acts of 1927, I, the undersigned Village Clerk, will upon any day except Sunday and a legal holiday, or the day of any regular or special election or official primary election, receive for registration the name of any legal voter in said village not already registered who may apply to me personally for such registration, or who may make application for registration by mail or messenger, as provided by Act 7, of Public Acts of 1919, except that I can receive no names for registration during the time intervening between the second Saturday before any general or special election or official primary election and the day of such election.

MARCH 3, 1928—LAST DAY For General Registration for Election March 12, 1928.

All electors not already registered and intending to vote at said election, should make application to me on or before the 3rd day of March, A. D. 1928.

Notice is further given that I will be at the Grayling-Box Company of office on Saturdays, Feb. 25 and March 3rd, 1928 from 8:00 o'clock a. m. until 11:00 a. m. and 1:00 to 5:30 o'clock p. m. on each said day for the purpose of reviewing the registration and registering such of the qualified electors in said village as shall appear and apply therefor.

The name of no person but an actual resident of the precinct at the time of registration and entitled under the constitution, if remaining such resident, to vote at the next election, shall be entered in the registration book.

ROY O. MILNES, Clerk.

## REGISTRATION NOTICE

for Township Election  
Election Monday, April 2, A. D. 1928  
To The Qualified Electors of the Township of Maple Forest, County of Crawford, State of Michigan.

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with the "Michigan Election Law," I, the undersigned Township Clerk, will, upon any day, except Sunday and a legal holiday, the day of any regular or special election or primary election, receive for registration the name of any legal voter in said township not already registered who may apply to me personally for such registration. Provided, however, that I can receive no names for registration during the time intervening between the second Saturday before any regular, special or official primary election and the day of such election.

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March 21, 1928, Last Day for General Registration by personal application for said election.

Notice is further hereby given that I will be at my home on March 10, and March 17, A. D. 1928, from 8 o'clock a. m. until 8 o'clock p. m. on each said day for the purpose of Reviewing the Registration and Registering such of the qualified electors in said township as shall properly apply therefor.

The name of no person but an actual resident of the precinct at the time of registration, and entitled under the constitution, if remaining such resident, to vote at the next election, shall be entered in the registration book.

WM. J. WOODBURN, Township Clerk.

**REGISTRATION NOTICE**  
for Township Election  
Election Monday, April 2, A. D. 1928  
To The Qualified Electors of the Township of Lovell, County of Crawford, State of Michigan.

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with the "Michigan Election Law," I, the undersigned Township Clerk, will, upon any day, except Sunday and a legal holiday, the day of any regular or special election or primary election, receive for registration the name of any legal voter in said township not already registered who may apply to me personally for such registration. Provided, however, that I can receive no names for registration during the time intervening between the second Saturday before any regular, special or official primary election and the day of such election.

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The name of no person but an actual resident of the precinct at the time of registration, and entitled under the constitution, if remaining such resident, to vote at the next election, shall be entered in the registration book.

LOUISE MCCORMICK, Township Clerk.

**REGISTRATION NOTICE**  
for Township Election  
Election Monday, April 2, A. D. 1928  
To The Qualified Electors of the Township of Beaver Creek, County of Crawford, State of Michigan.

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with the "Michigan Election Law," I, the undersigned Township Clerk, will, upon any day, except Sunday and a legal holiday, the day of any regular or special election or primary election, receive for registration the name of any legal voter in said township not already registered who may apply to me personally for such registration. Provided, however, that I can receive no names for registration during the time intervening between the second Saturday before any regular, special or official primary election and the day of such election.

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The name of no person but an actual resident of the precinct at the time of registration, and entitled under the constitution, if remaining such resident, to vote at the next election, shall be entered in the registration book.

ARTHUR SKINGLEY, Township Clerk.

**STATE OF MICHIGAN**  
The Probate Court for the county of Crawford.

In the matter of the estate of Martin Nelson late of the Village of Grayling, in said County of Crawford, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the sixth day of February A. D. 1928, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the Village of Grayling, in said county, on or before the 18th day of June A. D. 1928, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday the 18th day of June A. D. 1928, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated 6th day of February A. D. 1928.  
GEORGE SORENSON, Judge of Probate.

A true copy.  
George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

**REGISTRATION NOTICE**  
for Township Election  
Election Monday, April 2, A. D. 1928  
To The Qualified Electors of the Township of Maple Forest, County of Crawford, State of Michigan.

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GEORGE SORENSON, Judge of Probate.

**STATE OF MICHIGAN**  
The Probate Court for the county of Crawford.

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## REGISTRATION NOTICE

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CHARLES O. McCULLOUGH, Township Clerk.

**REGISTRATION NOTICE**  
for Township Election  
Election Monday, April 2, A. D. 1928  
To The Qualified Electors of the Township of Lovell, County of Crawford, State of Michigan.

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with the "Michigan Election Law," I, the undersigned Township Clerk, will, upon any day, except Sunday and a legal holiday, the day of any regular or special election or primary election, receive for registration the name of any legal voter in said township not already registered who may apply to me personally for such registration. Provided, however, that I can receive no names for registration during the time intervening between the second Saturday before any regular, special or official primary election and the day of such election.

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JOHN GEREN, Township Clerk.

**STATE OF MICHIGAN**  
The Probate Court for the county of Crawford.

In the matter of the estate of Louis J. Krueger late of the Village of Grayling, in said county, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that 4 months from the 18th day of February A. D. 1928, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the Village of Grayling, in said county, on or before the 18th day of June A. D. 1928, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday the 18th day of June A. D. 1928, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated 14th day of February A. D. 1928.  
GEORGE SORENSON, Judge of Probate.

A true copy.  
George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

**TO THE OWNER OR OWNERS OF ANY AND ALL INTERESTS IN HEREIN DESCRIBED.**

Take notice that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof at any time within six months after return of service of this notice upon payment to the undersigned of the Register in Chancery of the County in which the land and of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per centum additional thereon, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

**STATE OF MICHIGAN**  
County of Crawford.

West half of northwest quarter Sec. 2, town 25N., range 3W. Amount paid \$177 tax for year 1919.

Southeast quarter of the Northwest quarter Sec. 2, town 25N., range 3W. Amount paid \$736 tax for year 1919.

Amount necessary to redeem, \$64.28 plus the fees of the sheriff.

Marius Hanson Assignee of Walter Jorgenson.

Place of business, Grayling, Mich. To Charles D. Culver, last granted the regular chain title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county.

Frank L. Hart, graffles under State Tax Homestead Decd. 2-23-4

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**For Sale by MAC & GIDLEY**

There's something noiser than our fog horn. They are putting on soup eating contests up in Minnesota. Milwaukee Journal.

The Turkish peasant who lives with even wives in one room ought to be able to write a convincing treatise on harmony. Indianapolis News.

**MORTGAGE SALE**  
Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by John A. Smith, underrived, to Philip Luffe dated 20th day of August A. D. 1925, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Crawford, and State of Michigan, on the 24th day of September A. D. 1925, in Liber H. of Mortgages, on page 383, and assigned by Philip Luffe to F. C. Lanier, March 29, 1926 said assignment recorded April 29, 1926 in Liber I. of mortgages page 403, and again assigned by F. C. Lanier to H. W. Burch May 17, 1926, recorded May 27, 1926 in Liber I. of mortgages page 405, and again assigned by H. W. Burch and H. Lane Coachman, January 1, 1927, recorded January 1, 1927 in Liber I. of mortgages page 414, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of five thousand two hundred eighty-eight dollars and seventy-five cents, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, By virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Tuesday the 27th day of March A. D. 1928, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, I shall sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court House in Grayling



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## LOCAL NEWS

THURSDAY, MARCH 1, 1928

Harry Helper spent the week end  
in Bay City.

See the fine line of mens Walk Over  
oxfords at Olsons.

Little Ebbie Olson is recovering  
nicely from his recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. George Olson are  
spending a few days in Detroit.

For the best fit and longest wear  
buy Wilbur B. Coons arch fitters at  
Olsons.

Walter Bell of Flint is visiting  
friends here for a few days this week.

New shipment of bed lamps just  
received. Special at \$1.98.

Grayling Mercantile Co.

About 35 couples enjoyed dancing  
at the Temple theatre last Saturday  
night following the Midland-Grayling  
game. The party was given by the  
Alumni orchestra.

Buy Walk Over Shoes at Olsons.  
H. A. Clemetson of Alpena was in  
the city the fore part of the week on  
business.

George Schroeder has accepted a  
position in the Burke garage and  
commenced his work Wednesday  
morning.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Jarmin are en-  
joying a visit from the former's  
parents. Mr. and Mrs. D. Jarmin of  
Bay City.

Mrs. Alvin La Chapelle and son left  
Wednesday to spend a few days in  
Jackson and Lansing visiting rela-  
tives and friends.

Mrs. Nettie Sherman returned  
from Detroit Tuesday where she has  
been visiting for the past few months  
with her daughters.

A. S. Burrows left Wednesday night  
for Detroit to visit his son Merton  
who is in Ford Hospital for examina-  
tion and treatment.

Miss Anna Peterson, Mrs. Emil  
Niederer and Miss Irene McKay and  
Elizabeth Demming were in Grayling  
on business Monday.

Mrs. Bessie Audrich who has been  
visiting for a few days with her sister  
Mrs. Alvin La Chapelle returned to  
her home in Roscommon Wednesday.

Mrs. Charles Gothro and Mrs. Vic-  
tor Smith each took a car-load of the  
local basket ball girls to Boyne City,  
Friday where they were to play that  
evening.

You will enjoy the dance at the  
Temple theatre Saturday night, dan-  
cing to begin after the finals of the  
basket ball tournament have been  
played. Alumni orchestra will play.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Olson returned  
to their home in Detroit Thursday  
after spending a few days visiting the  
former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nels  
Olson. Harold McNeven accompanied  
them as far as Bay City.

Mrs. C. G. Clippert has been hon-  
ored by being invited to render a  
vocal solo before the State Bankers  
convention that is being held in Ovid  
this week. Mrs. Clippert is an ar-  
tist musician both in vocal and in  
piano, with a high degree of talent  
that is seldom found in one person.

Misses Nina Sorenson and Louise  
Sorenson left for Grand Rapids Tues-  
day, the former's brother Conrad ac-  
companying them over by auto. Mrs.  
George Sorenson, daughter Loreta  
and son Keith also went to spend a  
few days with her parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. Peter E. Johnson who reside  
there.

Archie Rogers of the Michigan Pub-  
lic Service Company of Chgoogan  
was in Grayling Saturday accompa-  
nyed by his sister, Miss Rogers, who  
had charge of the demonstration at  
the Electric Company's rooms. At  
the time that the Michigan Public  
Service Company began operations in  
Grayling, Mr. Rogers spent much time  
here.



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The steaks you get here are as  
good as they look—even better  
we believe you will find them. Cut  
the exact thickness you order  
from prime beef.

Delicious Mary Jane Cottage  
Cheese.

Wiscon Nut Oreo is an excellent  
bread spread.

## Burrow's Market

Phone No. 2

William Foley of Luzerne is get-  
ting along nicely at Mercy hospital.

See the new spring footwear for  
the whole family at Olsons.

Miss Janice Bailey of Grayling is  
visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R.  
D. Bailey for a few days.

Sweet skim milk, 25 cents per gal-  
lon. Sold only in gallons and you do  
your own carrying.

Grayling Creamery.

Don't miss the concert to be given  
by the Primary department of the  
M. E. Sunday school on Friday eve-  
ning, March 9.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Meyette and  
Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Cogins of Pin-  
conning visited at the home of David  
Montour Sunday.

Earl Kile of Higgins Lake is driv-  
ing a new Whippet Cabriolet Coupe,  
purchased from Wm. Mosher, Gray-  
ling Overland dealer.

We have lots of shoes and slippers  
for women and children to offer at  
25% to 50% off regular price at Ol-  
sons.

The annual basket ball tournament  
of class C and D teams of the 26th  
district is being held at Boyne City  
commencing today and continuing  
Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schroeder left  
Sunday morning for Detroit where  
they are visiting the latter's brother,  
Ralph Chamberlain and family. They  
expect to locate in Wayne.

The Hospital Aid society will meet  
at the home of Mrs. A. J. Joseph  
Thursday afternoon, March 8th. Mrs.  
Paul Hendrie and Mrs. Herluf Soren-  
son will assist in entertaining.

Fifty little voices make up a chorus  
that will help entertain you on Fri-  
day evening, March 9 at the Michel-  
son Memorial church. Admission 30c  
and 20c. Everybody welcome.

Buy a gallon of sweet skim milk  
to use for cooking or baking, at the  
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and sold only in gallon lots and you  
do your own carrying.

The Alumni orchestra will give a  
dance after the close of the basket  
ball tournament, Saturday night, at  
the Temple theatre. Admission 75c  
per couple. Extra lady and spectator  
25c.

Next Sunday at Michelson Mem-  
orial Sunday School will be Fathers'  
and Mothers' and Friends' Day. We  
anticipate a great day and urgently  
invite you to attend. The time 11:45  
a. m.

N. B. Goodar, who has been a pa-  
tient at Mercy hospital for some time  
underwent an operation for the re-  
moval of his appendix, Tuesday  
morning. He is reported as getting  
along as well as may be expected.

Little Miss Phyllis Hewitt was  
six years old Monday and in honor  
of the occasion she was hostess to  
sixteen of her young friends, both  
girls and boys. A happy time was  
had playing games and they enjoyed  
delicious refreshments served by Mrs.  
Hewitt.

Grayling Independent team will go  
to Gaylord next Tuesday night to  
play the team known as the Veterans  
of Foreign Wars, whom the former  
so badly defeated a week or so ago  
on Grayling's basket ball court. A  
large crowd of posters are planning  
on following the team.

In the article of our last week's  
issue, by the Mercy Hospital Aid so-  
ciety, telling of the circulating of a  
petition requesting the Supervisors to  
spread the sum of \$1,500 on the tax  
roll, an error was made. It stated  
that the placing of this amount on  
the tax roll would be about 75 cents  
per thousand dollars and should have  
read 45c instead of 75c.

Mrs. George Wagner, who was for-  
merly Mrs. John Moon, has been  
seriously ill at the home of her daugh-  
ter, Mrs. Norman Johnson in Beaver  
Creek. Mrs. Wagner's daughters and  
sons, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Hanna of  
Traverse City, William Moon of Jack-  
son, Mr. and Mrs. John Moon and  
Mrs. A. Christenson of Flint were  
here during the week owing to their  
mother's condition. Tuesday evening  
an ambulance came and took Mrs.  
Wagner to Traverse City, where she  
has been residing recently. She had  
been here visiting her daughter and  
looking after her farm in Beaver  
Creek township.

# A SALE!

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New Spring Underwear of fine Rayon. Dainty  
Pastel Shades at prices you would pay for cotton.

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A beautiful lace trim-  
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cy colored medallions at

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Plain Rayon Bloom-  
ers in several styles at

89c. \$1.00 \$1.50

French Panties, lace  
trimmed at

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A very pretty style,  
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All first quality, all  
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Full fashioned service weight, the best wear-  
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Chiffon, full fashioned, a beautiful pure  
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All silk, picot top Chiffon Hose that you will  
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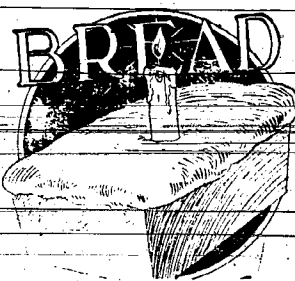
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It is generally agreed that efforts to suppress prohibition are an issue which will fall, perhaps in both the Democratic and the Republican conventions. The leaders of dry organizations were preparing for a conference February 28 at which plans were to be laid to force both parties to include dry planks in their platforms, and the voters will be correspondingly deterred, especially the Democratic supporters of Al Smith, who has made the position very clear. There is even some talk of again putting forward William Gibbs McAdoo as a dry Democratic candidate, despite his renouncement of that ambition. Anti-Smith activity in the South seemed to be increasing, despite the fact that Mayor Jimmy Walker of New York was down there admittedly fostering sentiment in favor of the governor. In the Northwest Smith was gaining many friends, especially after winning in the South Dakota caucuses.

Ohio primaries are a matter of prime interest to the Republican leaders, and there, too, the prohibition question raises its head in the contest between Hoover and Willis. The state Anti-Saloon league seemed to be in a quandary, since it has always heretofore endorsed Willis and yet probably does not wish to be put in the position of endorsing Hoover as a wet. The Mississippi valley Southern states were keenly interested in the stand Hoover would take before the senate committee considering flood control legislation.

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SENATOR JIM REEB of Missouri in his pre-convention speaking tour which opened at Dallas, Texas, Monday, is living up to expectations. In that he is seeking to minimize or suppress altogether the issue of prohibition. His slogan